

Rotary Club of Wooster

2012 Application for the Rotary Scholarships, Sam Shapiro Scholarship & Lee Culp Scholarship for graduating seniors of Wooster High School **Due March 26, 2012**

Section I: Notice to Applicants

Awards are based upon **financial need** with consideration given to academic performance, personal character and leadership potential.

In accordance with its philosophy of public service, the Rotary Club of Wooster, Ohio recognizes that anyone may apply for a Rotary Foundation Scholarship regardless of race, religion, sex or ethnic background.

Scholarships include five Rotary Scholarships of \$1800 each, the Sam Shapiro Scholarship for \$2500 and the Lee Culp Scholarship for \$1500.

Completed applications must be returned to your guidance counselor by March 26, 2012.

Section II: Background Information

Name of student: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Name of parents/guardians: _____

Father's employer (if self-employed, describe business) _____

Mother's employer (if self-employed, describe business) _____

Number and age of siblings: _____

Number of siblings attending college for the 2012 – 2013 academic year: _____

If you are not living with one or both parents, are you receiving financial support from either? If yes, explain: _____

Section III: Attachments

Please attach a one (1) page biography of yourself, including your extracurricular activities, work experience, and a summary of your professional or occupational goals.

Please attach a current transcript of your grades, including your class rank and your ACT or SAT scores.

Section IV: Financial Information

To be completed by parent or guardian

1. Gross Annual Income _____
2. Estimated value of parent's assets (checking, savings, money market, stocks, bonds, mutual funds) _____
3. Estimated value of retirement plans (IRA, Roth IRA, 401(k), profit sharing, etc.) _____
4. Estimated value of primary residence _____
Remaining mortgage still owed _____
Amount of any home equity loan _____
5. Estimated value of other real property (rental property, farm land, vacation home) _____
Amount still owed on property _____
6. Are there any special circumstances that should be considered (family debts, loss of income, illness, etc.) _____
7. Has the applicant been awarded any other scholarships for the upcoming academic year? _____
8. Are you willing to provide supporting documents of your financial information if asked to do so? (tax returns, W-2, home mortgage info, etc.) _____

**Financial information will be kept in the strictest confidence.
Only the selection committee chairperson has access to names.**

Section V: Signatures

We hereby certify that the above information is correct and that the applicant is not a child or grandchild of a Rotarian.

Signature of Parent / Guardian

Signature of Parent / Guardian

Signature of Applicant

As part of the selection process, the applicant may be asked to meet with the selection committee for a face-to-face interview.